

REMARKS

Applicants appreciate the Examiner's hard work and diligent efforts which resulted in the Notice of Allowance.

Applicants have amended claim 14 to alleviate an error introduced in the supplemental amendment filed 27 May 2011. Specifically, the monovalent group R_L was erroneously indicated as having a "number-average" molar mass when simply --molar mass-- is correct. Therefore, claim 14 has been amended to correctly indicate that -- R_L is a monovalent group with a molar mass ...--. Applicants respectfully submit that this amendment does not add any statutory new matter or raise any new issues for consideration. Thus, entry of the amendment is respectfully requested.

Substitute Specification

Applicants also note that the record in PAIR incorrectly indicates that the amendment to the specification filed on 27 May 2011 has not been entered. However, the Examiner indicated on the top of the page of the amendment to the specification that it is "OK TO ENTER SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION". Therefore, Applicants respectfully request confirmation that the amendments to the specification and drawings filed on 27 May 2011 have been entered.

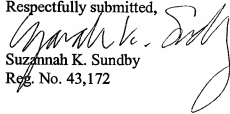
CONCLUSION

All of the stated grounds of rejection have been properly traversed, accommodated, or rendered moot. Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner reconsider all presently outstanding rejections and that they be withdrawn. It is believed that a full and complete response has been made to the outstanding Office Action and, as such, the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

It is not believed that extensions of time are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in accompanying documents. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are

hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to **Deposit Account No. 02-4300, Attorney Docket No. 033808.197.**

Respectfully submitted,



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